

**PATENT**

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

**In re Application of:**

Danny E. Scott

**Serial No.:** Not Yet Assigned

**Filed:** November 24, 2003

**For:** METHOD OF MANUFACTURING  
PDC CUTTERS WITH CHAMBERS OR  
PASSAGES

**Confirmation No.:** Unknown

**Examiner:** Unknown

**Group Art Unit:** Unknown

**Attorney Docket No.:** 1684-3739.2US  
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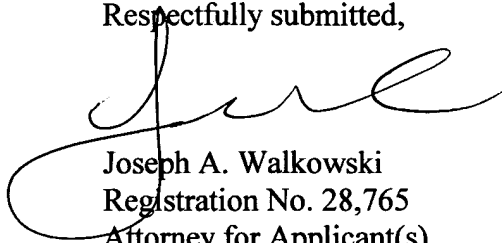
The present application is a continuation of application Serial No. 09/495,143, filed January 31, 2000, pending.

Pursuant to M.P.E.P. 2001.06(b), the Examiner is respectfully requested to consider the information of record in the prior application, and to confirm in the first Office Action on the merits that such art has in fact been reviewed. A PTO-1449 form listing all of the information of record in the prior application is enclosed herewith.

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Respectfully submitted,

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	3,311,956	04/1967	Townsend et al.			
	3,645,491	02/1972	Brown et al.			
	3,903,951	09/1975	Kaneko et al.			
	3,964,534	06/1976	Rabinowitz			
	4,441,930	04/1984	Baudis et al.			
	4,452,324	06/1984	Jurgens			
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	4,743,481	05/1988	Quinlan et al.			
	4,802,525	02/1989	Heine et al.			
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